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Dwight D. Eisenhower Library, 1952-61

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The Dwight D. Eisenhower Library received records from the White House Library in several shipments between 1971 and 1978.

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Literary rights in the records have passed to the United States as indicated in President Eisenhower's letter of April 13, 1960. As indicated in Eisenhower's letter, the following classes of documents will be withheld from research use:

1. Papers that are security classified pursuant to law or Executive Order, until such classification shall be removed.
2. Papers the use of which may be prejudicial to the maintenance of good relations with foreign nations.
3. Papers containing statements made by or to me in confidence.
4. Papers relating to my family or private business affairs, and papers relating to the families or private business affairs of persons who have had correspondence with me.
5. Papers containing statements about individuals which might be used to injure or harass them or members of their families.
6. Such other individual files as I, or my representative, or the Administrator of General Services may specify.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The White House Library is a collection of reference material kept at the White House for use by the President and his staff. Most of the material consists of books donated to the White House by publishers, or loaned to the White House by the Library of Congress. The collection is maintained by the permanent White House staff under the direction of the Executive Clerk.

During the 1970s the White House Library turned over to the National Archives a number of surplus reports and printed items which were no longer needed by the White House. The National Archives forwarded to the Eisenhower Library the material that pertained to the Eisenhower administration. Most of the material consists of reports of various government committees and boards, many of which can be found elsewhere in the Eisenhower Library. The material is arranged alphabetically by subject.

Of particular importance is a file on form letters used by the White House staff. This consists of sample paragraphs that assisted secretaries in preparing letters to the general public. The file also contains samples of preprinted cards that were used to acknowledge messages from the public. The cards were prepared in advance of a major event, such as Christmas or the President's birthday, for which mail was expected in such large quantities that the White House did not have sufficient staff to write individual responses.

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| 1 | 1952 Campaign Statements

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Executive Branch Liaison Office Fact Papers 1954 (1)-(4) [quotes from President's major speeches; administrative & legislative achievements; statement of Eisenhower philosophy of government]

Federal Communications Commission 1953 Annual Report, Supplement (1) (2)
[biographical information on FCC employees]

Commission on Foreign Economic Policy, Report, January 23, 1954 (1)(2)

Commission on Foreign Economic Policy, Minority Report, January 28, 1954

Foreign Economic Policy Message to Congress March 14, 1954

Form Letters Used in Answering Routine White House Correspondence (1)-(4)
[typed letters] |
| 3 | Form Letters Used in Answering Routine White House Correspondence (5)-(7)
[preprinted cards]

President's Committee on Government Contracts, Report, December 20, 1955

Interdepartmental Committee on Narcotics, Report, February 1, 1956

Oak Ridge, Tennessee, Labor Dispute, Report, July 19, 1954

Pan American World Airways Labor Dispute, Report, June 2, 1960

Presidential Appointments 1953 Binder 1 (1)-(3) [lists of government positions filled by presidential appointment; incomplete]

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- Public Health Service Report on Health Research Facilities, January 15, 1958
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- Railway Express Agency Labor Dispute, Report, August 1, 1955
- Republican Party Literature
- Shoup Voting Machine Electomap 1958
- Soo Locks Centennial Commission, Final Report, February 28, 1956
- President's Committee to Study to U.S. Military Assistance Program Second Interim Report June 3, 1959
- President's Committee to Study to U.S. Military Assistance Program Third Interim Report July 13, 1959
- 5 White House Conference on Highway Safety February 17-19, 1954 (1)-(8)
- U.S. Committee for Refugees World Refugee Year 1959-60
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